

PITKIN'S CASH Provision STORE

BRISKET BOILING BEEF—Per lb. only.....	18c
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BRIGHT LEAN BOILING BEEF—Per lb. only.....	28c
LEG OF YEARLING LAMB—Per lb. only.....	32c
LAMB STEW—Per lb. only.....	25c
COD FISH MIDDLES—Genuine fancy, per lb.....	32c
FULL CREAM CHEESE—Rich and mellow, per lb.....	38c
GLODEN WEDDING OLEO—Contains a good percent. of creamery butter, per lb.....	38c
PURE STRAWBERRY PRESERVES—Nothing used but pure fruit and sugar, per lb.....	30c
PEANUT BUTTER—Highest quality, full pound.....	20c
PIES—Fine variety extra good, each only.....	15c
CAKES—White or devil's food, nice large squares, each.....	12c
FRENCH ROLLS—One of our customers, speaking of them the other day, says, "My, my, but they are delicious." And only, per doz.....	15c
MARSHMALLOW ROLLS—Fine large ones, each.....	15c
HONEY—Fine comb honey, three sections for.....	\$1.00
APPLES—Fine Ben Davis, per lb.....	12c
YOUNG POTATO ONIONS—Nice large bunches, each.....	5c
ORANGES—Fine heavy fruit, per dozen.....	30c, 40c, 50c, 60c
CUCUMBERS—Fancy large hothouse, each.....	15c
OLD MAMMY'S KRAUT—Large can of the best kraut, each.....	12c
ROLLED OATS—In bulk, just received a fresh supply of 1000 lbs. per lb.....	6c
KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES—(Special) two packages for.....	25c
NEPTUNE BRAND APRICOTS—Large can in light syrup, each only.....	25c
CANNED CORN—Extra standard quality, No. 2 can, each only.....	15c
SUGAR—Best grade of pure cane, per lb. only.....	10c
25 lb. pockets only.....	\$2.45
SOAP—(Special) Climax, a good yellow laundry soap, 10 bars only.....	46c
SCRATCH FEED—A good one, 25 lbs. only.....	\$1.00
FLOUR—Golden Shield, while it lasts, 24 1/2 lb. sack only.....	\$1.50
Pride of Vernon, that fancy spring wheat patent flour, 24 1/2 lb. sack only.....	\$1.70
FANCY CRANBERRY BEANS—4 lbs. only.....	30c

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SOCIETY

Personal Notes of the Day

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, May 22
The South Vernon Ladies' Aid society will meet at 1:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Mary Durieux on the Columbus road.

FRIDAY, May 23
The Ladies' Aid society of the Church of Christ will meet in the church parlors at 2 p. m. The Pythian Sisters will initiate a class. Lodge begins at 7 o'clock.

There will be a regular meeting of the War Mothers at 2:30 o'clock.

Past Officers' Club Meets

The Past Officers' club of the Sons and Daughters of Liberty held a meeting Wednesday afternoon at the Maccabee hall. Twenty members of the club and one visitor were present. Following the monthly business session the members enjoyed a social hour and refreshments were served by the following committee: Mrs. Viola Bateman, Mrs. Mamie Stephy, Mrs. Augusta Williams and Mrs. M. C. Wolford. The next meeting of the club will be held the third Wednesday in June.

Circle Members Elect Officers

Circle No. 4 of the Church of Christ met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. P. Wenger on Rogers street. There was a good attendance at the meeting and the following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. H. M. Lauderbaugh.
Vice President—Mrs. Edward Bennett.
Secretary—Mrs. R. R. Warner.
Treasurer—Mrs. Edward Myers.
After the election of officers a social was enjoyed by the members and refreshments were served by Mrs. Wenger.

Samaritan Class Holds Meeting

The Samaritan class of the M. P. Sunday school met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. P. Taylor, 607 West High street. At the business session the following officers were elected:

Teacher—Mrs. A. P. Taylor.
President—Mrs. J. T. Russell.
Vice President—Mrs. Lucy Wertz.
Secretary—Mrs. Florence McPeck.
Treasurer—Mrs. Frank Brentlinger.
Press Correspondent—Mrs. E. W. Ogg.
Flower Treasurer—Mrs. Minnie Ewalt.

Thirty women were present at the meeting, 28 members and two visitors. The following members served refreshments: Mrs. Lucy Wertz, Mrs. Minnie Ewalt, Miss Mary Vance, Mrs. John Warman and Mrs. A. P. Taylor.

Harrison Hall Wedding

At 8:30 o'clock Wednesday evening at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. W. D. Akers of Sparta, Mr. Ray Emery Harrison and Miss Helen Beatrice Hall, both of Brandon, were united in marriage. The wedding ceremony was witnessed by the bride's mother, Mrs. Peter Hall, of Dawes, W. Va., and by Mr. and Mrs.

C. W. Harrison of Brandon, parents of the bridegroom. Mr. and Mrs. Hall made their home in Brandon before moving to West Virginia.

The bride and bridegroom are both graduates of Mt. Vernon high school and have many friends here. Mrs. Harrison was a member of the class of 1918 and Mr. Harrison of the class of 1914.

The young couple went to Newark Wednesday evening to spend a number of days and expect to leave Monday for Dawes, W. Va., where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hall. After their return they will make their home in Brandon.

Enjoyable Recital Wednesday Evening

The Junior Musical club gave the first of a series of recitals at the home of Miss Nellie McFadden, South Gay street, Wednesday evening. The program was in charge of Miss Marian Woolson and was as follows:

Hunting Song, Sunday Morning, Tarentelle (All by Heller)—Sara Bernmont.
Soldiers' March (Louise Wright)—Marjorie Dowds.
Old English Dance (Smith)—Evelyn Jones.
Mother's Lullaby; March of the Vee Folk (Gaynor)—Isabel Jewell.
Galloping Horses (James H. Rogers)—Augusta Banning.
Ghost Tales No. 1 (Billbro); Grandfather's Clock (Maxim)—Margaret Rudin.

Jonquils (Rountree)—Helen Tremwith.
Ol' Uncle Mose (Crosby)—Billy Wing.

Water Sprites (Heller)—Mildred Mendenhall.

Peasants' Frolic (Gurlitt); The Swallow (Dutton)—Lillian Cochran.

A Little Primrose (Lawrence)—Eunice Hodges.

Tiddley Winks (Orth)—Helen Herron.

Hunting Song (Omstein)—Isabel McPeckley.

The Little Wooden Army (Mueller)—William Ackerman.

Melody (James H. Rogers)—Lillian Berger.

Scherzetto (Schmoll); Day Dream (Goodrich).

Minnet Antique (Kramer); Horseback Ride (Faldi).

To a Wild Rose (MacDowell)—Willard Gunther.

Cradle Song (Voltaire); Wedding Day (Grieg)—Marcella Cooksey.

Country Club Dance An Enjoyable Event

An amusing and pleasing surprise was sprung on the members of the Country club Wednesday night at the first subscription dance of the season when Miss Dorothy Cole, of Dayton, proved to be Lewis Kilgore of Kenyon college.

For more than three hours Mr. Kilgore, with the assistance of several other Kenyon students completely fooled those who attended the dance, by impersonating a woman. He was dressed in a dark brown suit, with a black hat, brown, wavy hair, wore several ladies' rings and a wrist watch. His lady-like manner of dancing and walking completely fooled everyone.

He was introduced as Miss Dorothy Cole of Dayton, Ohio. As his impersonation was so good he completely fooled both men and women. He danced and chatted with the men and talked sewing and woman's suffrage with the women, never at any time giving them reason to believe that he was anything else but a woman.

He was discovered when one of the women of the club noticed him smoking a cigarette. She promptly reported the matter to her husband, who investigated. No one was positive, however, until someone later noticed the size of his hands. It was then that the joke was revealed.

The joke was the result of a wager made between several girl members of the club and Kenyon students. It was stated that while the group was leaving Kenyon on the way to the dance, the members were met by several Kenyon professors who snuffed and bowed very sweetly to Kilgore while he was dressed as a woman.

The subscription dance last night was one of the most brilliant and best ever held. More than fifty couples were present, many of them being from out of town.

One of the pleasing features of the dance was the wearing of paper hats given to the members as they entered the club. These gave a coloring to the affair which was very pleasing.

A buffet luncheon was served at 11:30 o'clock.

Wing's orchestra rendered the best music that has so far been given in this city.

The out-of-town guests were: Miss May Crumley and Miss Margaret Richards of Steubenville, who were the guests of Miss Helen Crumley, J. F. Danah, of Akron, James Wade of Akron, H. C. Vokum, Cleveland, William G. Pflum, Dayton, L. D. Kilgore, St. Paul, Richard Maxwell, Mansfield, Robert Chew, Fredericktown, Howard Jones, Columbus, John W. Anger, Treanton, Shannon D. Buntion Terre Haute, W. H. Graham, San Pedro de

Macon, Mrs. F. D. Thorpe, Columbus.

A dinner party was held prior to the dance. Those who attended were Miss Gertrude Lorey, Miss Helen L. Lorey, Miss Edna Gorsuch, Mr. Chas. Meyers, Mr. John M. Donaldson and Mr. Dwight McNabb.

The dancing lasted until 1 o'clock.

Self-serve supper, Congregational church, Saturday, May 24, 5 to 7 p. m. x34

Marguerite Clark in "Out of a Clear Sky" at the Vine today. x22

Mr. John Mullin was a business visitor in Columbus today.

Mixed dancing at Danville Friday evening, May 23. Ralls Trio. x22

Nazimova, the great, in "Revelation" at the Vine next Monday.

Mrs. P. J. Struble of Fredericktown spent Thursday in Columbus.

"Out of a Clear Sky" featuring Marguerite Clark, at the Vine today. x22

If you want a good cigar ask your dealer for Havana Bouquet, 6c. 1f

The great Nazimova in "Revelation" at the Vine next Monday.

Drugs and medicines at old prices, delivered free. Fox and Steinhoff.

Tu-T-S-t

Mrs. Josie Scott of North Main street was a visitor in Columbus today.

"Everything new that's good" in women's low cuts. Severns, West Vine. x22

Mrs. Ada Wertz returned to Akron today after spending several days here.

Nazimova, the star supreme, triumphs in "Revelation," at the Vine next Monday.

Mrs. Cora Chew and Mrs. C. Zent of Fredericktown were visitors in Columbus Thursday.

We have a very complete line of lawn mowers at right prices. Max Meyers Store. W51f

Mrs. Clara McNelly of West High street went to Glenwood Thursday to remain until Saturday.

Mixed dancing at Maccabee hall Saturday, May 24. Bricker's orchestra. Everybody invited. x23

Highest prices paid for wool. All kinds of farm products at old McConnell warehouse, Levering Bros. 1f

Bedding plants, also plants for hanging baskets, porch boxes and vases. Ahern's Flower Shop. 5-19,21,23

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kopp of North Division street went to Columbus this morning to spend the week-end.

One of the greatest horse races ever screened in Mae Marsh's new play, "The Racing Strain," at Lyric today. x22

Mrs. Grant Harris of South Catherine street went to Centerville Thursday to visit her mother several days.

Rev. and Mrs. H. G. Martin and daughter, of Flint, Mich., are visiting relatives in Gambier for several days.

Miss Helen Lucille Smith will present "The Truth," a reading, at the Baptist church next Wednesday evening. x23

Mrs. Dwight E. Sapp has returned from Cincinnati where she has been spending several months with relatives.

The Misses Leona Kaufman and Viola Hawkins of Fredericktown went to Akron Thursday to remain two weeks.

Miss Mary Mack returned to Dayton Thursday after spending the past week here attending the S. D. A. convention.

Lieut. E. T. Schimmel of Newark was a guest at the home of Dr. Carl Lorey of East Chestnut street Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Cochran and Mrs. Ella Butcher of East Chestnut street went to Columbus today to remain over the week-end.

Dr. C. D. Conard was discharged Wednesday from service, at Camp Sherman, and returned to his home here Thursday.

Mr. John M. Donaldson of Fairfield, Conn., is a guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Carl N. Lorey of East Chestnut street.

Mrs. James Kile returned to Centerville Thursday after visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. L. Jenkins, of North McKenzie street.

Mrs. John Frazier of Columbus, who has been visiting in this city for several days, went to Akron Thursday to visit her brothers.

Mrs. D. A. Upham of East High street, has returned from Mt. Carmel, Ill., where she spent a month with friends and relatives.

The South Vernon Ladies' Aid will hold a food sale Saturday, May 24, at the Spitzer shoe store, beginning at 10 a. m. x23

Miss Helen Lucille Smith will read "The Truth," a four-act play, next Wednesday evening at the Baptist church. Admission 25c. x23x23

The shipment of 25 Ford touring cars has been delivered, but there will be two carloads more in this week. Get your order in for one of these. F. J. Harris, West High. 1f

SATURDAY SPECIAL

30x3 1/2 gray tube, \$2.50. Fully guaranteed. All other sizes at reduced prices for one day only. Columbus United Tire Co., 117 W. High street, Mt. Vernon, Ohio. x24

Women's Spring Apparel

We show a large, interesting assortment of garments of the better sort, made of the best materials and in the newest styles. Another thing that will interest you just now are the

Remarkable Low Prices

It is remarkable how every detail is worked out in the making of these fine garments, and there are good styles for every figure.

SUITS for women and misses, made in checks, tans, blues and black of such good wearing materials as poplin, gaberdine and serge. All are now reduced in price. Those that sold at \$37.50 are now only **\$22.50**

COATS—All are copies of designs much higher in price; stunning styles for all occasions; All are reduced in price. Those that were \$22.50 are now only **\$13.50**

MANY FINE LOOKING DOLMANS— at **\$13.50, \$22.50 and up**

CHILDREN'S DRESSES—In white, dainty materials made up in new and clever styles; they are in all sizes and are priced very reasonable.

Dainty Summer Undergarments

For the Warm Day's Coming

Those days are sure to come and these garments will help to keep you cool. There are new and serviceable garments that are bound to please you.

CREPE CHINESE—Hand embroidered on pink crepe of good quality; very fine value at **\$1.50**

BLOOMERS—Made of pink nainsook, blue trimmed elastic waist band; priced at **\$1.00**

ANOTHER NEW ARRIVAL—GOWNS of fancy flowered crepe, sleeveless and fine quality; **\$2.00**

Ladies'	Children's	Men's
Knit Union Suits sleeveless and lace knee, at the low price of 65c Others at 75c, \$1	Knit Union Suits Made the same as mother's; only smaller; priced at 50c, 75c	Knit Union Suits White and ecru short sleeves and ankle length; priced at \$1.25
Vests—The Cumby cut kind and good quality. 25c, 29c, 50c	Knit Waists—the M in n e a polka brand; good value at 19c	Nainsook in the athletic style, excellent for warm weather; priced at 75c, \$1.25
	Boys' Union Suits Nainsook or knit athletic style at 75c	



New Drapery and Curtain Materials; just arrived

This assortment is easily the most complete we have had this spring.

Come to see us for curtain and drapery suggestions when in doubt. If you have your mind fixed on a certain material in a fixed pattern—we probably have it.

Marquissette, Voile, Madras, Lace, Net, etc., in new patterns. You will find our prices are very reasonable. (A new assortment of made-up curtains, just arrived.)

Filet Net	Madras	Marquissette
The most favored of all. White and cream in small patterns that are beautiful. Prices start at 45c	The material that drapes beautifully. Clever new patterns; priced at 30c UP	In splendid neat border effects and perfectly plain; white, cream and ecru; priced at 35c UP

The Walker - McCrackin Co.

ORDER FOR VIEW AND HEARING

Knox County, Ohio, May 12, 1919.
In the matter of the South Vernon road connecting the Newark and Granville roads between the property of Mr. Yost and Mr. Flaherty and Mr. Yost and Mr. Hayes, petitioned for by Mr. Hayes and others, filed April 21, 1919.

Therefore on this 12th day of May, 1919, we, the said Board of County Commissioners, have duly considered the same. And the petitioners having also entered into a good and sufficient bond as required by law, in the sum of One Hundred and 00-100 Dollars with the Clinton Township Board of Trustees as sureties, which bond we hereby approve, we now fix Wednesday, June 5, 1919, at 10:30 a. m. as the date when we will view the proposed improvement.

Also June 11, 1919, at 3 o'clock p. m. as the date for a final hearing thereon at the office of our said board.
GEO. W. HAYS,
President of Board of County Commissioners.

A. D. RINEHART,
Clerk of Board.
5-15,22,29da

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Don't buy Aspirin in a pill box! Get Bayer package!



Always say, "Give me a package of Bayer Tablets of Aspirin." Insist you want only the Bayer package with the "Bayer Cross" on the package and on the tablets.

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The genuine American owned "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" have been proved safe by millions for Pain, Headache, Neuralgia, Toothache, Earache, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Colds, Grippe, Influenza Colds, Joint Pains, Neuritis. Proper dosage on every "Bayer" package.

Boxes of 12 tablets—Bottles of 24—Bottles of 100—Also Capsules. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monocetate of Salicylic Acid